



Docket 98408

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Donald R. Vinding)
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Serial No.: 10/072,011)
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Filed: February 7, 2002)
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For: RETRACTABLE REEL FOR)
FLEXIBLE TUBING)

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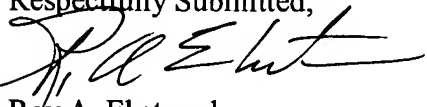
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Dear Sir:

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

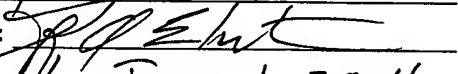
Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office
Action mailed December 29, 2003. A check in the amount of \$210.00 representing the extension
fee is attached.

An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously
herewith.

Respectfully Submitted,

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